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### House Appropriations Request FY 2010

**Project Name:** Development of Value Added Products from Biomass  
**Recipient:** North Carolina State University  
**Recipient Address:** Campus Box 7214 (Contracts and Grants)  
**Recipient City:** Raleigh  
**Recipient State:** North Carolina  
**Recipient Zip:** 27695

**Amount of Request:** \$3,000,000

#### Explanation of the request:

The intellectual capability to tackle such large biorefinery research and development (R&D) problems already exists at NC State, in the three Colleges supporting this request.

The requested funding will support field research in the development of several energy crops, the development of value-added products from woody biomass and the establishment of bioenergy plantations, novel fermentation technology development, and new methods of converting vegetable oils and animal fats into high performance fuels and value-added products. It will also support an expansion of the processing capabilities of a small-scale lignocellulosic ethanol pilot facility that is primarily funded by a \$1.5 million grant from the Golden LEAF Foundation, and the establishment of a biofuels analytical laboratory.

*In order to offer more opportunity for public scrutiny, I have posted information on each project request submitted to the Appropriations Committee at the time the request was made.*

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